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Colonel Wendy L. Rivers assumed duties as Commander of U.S. Army Information Systems Engineering Command on June 30, 2015. Colonel Rivers was born in Charleston, SC. She is a ROTC, Distinguished Military Graduate of Fort Valley State University where she earned a Bachelor's Degree in Computer Information Systems and a Minor in Business Administration. She was commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army Branch Detailed Program, spending her first two years as a Chemical Officer.

Colonel Rivers recently served as the Senior Military Analyst for C3, Cyber and Business Systems in the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (OUSD AT&L).

Colonel Rivers' key command and staff assignments include: Commander, 69th Signal Battalion; Chief of Current Operations G3, NETCOM; J6 Ops Planner for EURASIA and XO, USEUCOM; Battalion S3 and Executive Officer, 52nd Signal Battalion; European DRSN officer and Chief of Contingency Ops, DISA-Europe; Company Commander, A/86th Signal Battalion; G3 Southwest Asia Desk Officer, Army Signal Command (ASC); S4, 22nd Signal Brigade; and Company Platoon Leader, C/440th Signal Battalion.

Colonel Rivers' deployed serving in Bosnia-Herzegovina as the Executive Officer for D, 440th Signal Battalion and in Kabul, Afghanistan as the CSTA-A ANA Division Chief and 2-Star Executive Officer.

Colonel Rivers' awards and badges include the Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal (OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (3OLC), Army Commendation Medal (OLC), Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal (OLC), Afghanistan Campaign Medal and the Military Outstanding Volunteer Medal (BSS). Colonel Rivers also earned the following Unit Awards: Joint Meritorious Unit Award (2OLC) and the Army Superior Unit Award (OLC).

In June 2014, Colonel Rivers received a Masters of National Security Strategy from the National War College, National Defense University. She also holds a Masters of Telecommunications Management from Webster University. Her military education includes the Airborne School, Chemical Officer Basic Course, Battalion/Brigade Maintenance Officer Course, Signal Officer Branch Qualification and Advanced Courses, Combined Arms and Service Staff School (CAS3), US Army Command and General Staff College and the Joint Planning Course.

Colonel Rivers has two children and one grandchild.

